

**MOTION BY SUPERVISOR MARK RIDLEY-THOMAS**

**August 9, 2016**

**Establish the Reward Offer in the Murder of Mark Tyree II**

On Sunday, June 26, 2016, at approximately 8:10 p.m., 15-year-old Mark Tyree II was visiting a friend. The two young men were outside talking in the driveway on the 1300 block of West 92<sup>nd</sup> Street in the unincorporated Westmont area of Los Angeles County when a gray Chevy Camaro driving eastbound approached their location. Multiple shots were fired from the front passenger window at both Mark and his companion. As a result, Mark was struck by the barrage and collapsed in his friend's driveway. He was quickly transported to Harbor-UCLA Medical Center where he succumbed to his injuries.

Mark attended New Millennium Charter School in Gardena where he was preparing to enter the 9<sup>th</sup> grade. The senseless and untimely death of Mark has left his family and the community devastated.

The suspected assailants of this crime are described merely as two African American men. They were last seen driving eastbound on 92nd Street towards Budlong Avenue.

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The Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department (LASD) detectives believe that there are witnesses in the neighborhood that may have seen the suspects leave the area or know their identities. Any individuals with information about this crime are urged to contact LASD's Homicide Bureau or Crime Stoppers.

**I THEREFORE MOVE THAT THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS:**

Establish the offer of a reward in the amount of \$10,000 in exchange for information leading to the apprehension and/or conviction of the persons responsible for the death of 15-year-old Mark Tyree II who was shot and killed on the 1300 block of West 92nd Street in the unincorporated Westmont area of Los Angeles County on Sunday, June 26, 2016, at approximately 8:10 p.m.

Contact: Sergeant Domenick Recchia  
Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department  
Homicide Bureau  
(323) 890-5500

- or -

Crime Stoppers  
(800) 222-8477

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